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U. S. MARINES AT CAMP ORDWAY, AT DRILL.
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BIRD'S-EYE VIEW FORTRESS MONROE, SHOWING MOAT.
INTERIOR VIEWS OF THE FORTRESS.

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Every reader of the Intelligencer is entitled to participate in this distribution of Uncle Sam's Navy Portfolios. Bring or send to the Intelligencer Portfolio Department 10 cents in silver, to cover postage, wrapping, mailing, distribution, etc., together with an order cut from the Intelligencer, which will be found in another column of to-day's issue, and you will receive Portfolio No. 9, containing 16 Photographic Reproductions, 11x13 inches in size, of the several ships of Uncle Sam's Navy.

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IT WAS A VERY GOOD FORECAST

OF WHAT ACTUALLY HAPPENED

TWO WEEKS AFTER HIS LETTER WAS WRITTEN—THE WHEELING YOUNG MAN'S PREDICTION THAT VICTORY WOULD RESULT VERIFIED—A FLAG RAISING AT THE GILLELAND GLUE WORKS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

The Intelligencer is permitted to publish this morning, portions of a letter written to relatives here by Ensign John S. Doddridge, a Wheeling boy, now on the "Boston," of Admiral Dewey's Asiatic squadron, which achieved such a remarkable triumph on May Day. The letter was written at Hong Kong, off the China coast, about two weeks before the battle, and just on the eve of the declaration of war. Says the ensign:

HONG KONG, April 18.

From present indications, by the time this letter reaches you we will be at war. Since I last wrote, the revenue cutter, McCulloch, has arrived, and we expect the Baltimore to-morrow. By to-morrow night we will have six men-of-war, one revenue cutter and two colliers and store ships, making a total of nine vessels under the Stars and Stripes, ready to defend our rights.

To-morrow morning, at daylight, all the ships will assume their war paint, a dirty gray. At the present time, you know, they are all painted white. In case of war, our objective point will be the Philippines, in general, and Manila in particular.

The Spanish fleet in these waters consists of twelve gunboats of small power and two good cruisers. WE HOPE TO SETTLE THEIR FATE WITH DESPATCH.

Whether we have war or not, this scare will be a good thing for the navy. I am glad that I am in the navy, and not in the army.

I have not been going ashore much lately. We have all been very busy about ship. The "Boston" has become the "crack" ship of the station, "crack" meaning the best in all particulars.

The weather has been decidedly warm the past few days. IT WILL BE VERY HOT IN MANILA.

I have been playing golf occasionally, but can't say that I have become a golf "crack." Our new captain will arrive on the 23rd, but our present captain will not be relieved until the war is over.

The British squadron has gone to Chefoo, in Northern China, to watch the Russians. THE WHOLE CIVILIZED WORLD SEEMS TO BE BY THE EARS.

DR. ULRICH'S ADDRESS

At the Gilleland Flag Raising Full of Patriotic Sentiments.

Yesterday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, one of the largest American flags in this vicinity was raised by the employees at the Gilleland glue works, in the southern part of the city. In addition to the employees of the plant, many other people witnessed the interesting ceremonies of the occasion, which included an address by Dr. C. F. Ulrich. After the address the flag was swung to the breeze by the two Misses Gilleland, daughters of the proprietor of the plant. The occasion was marked by great enthusiasm. Dr. Ulrich delivered his address from the roof of a freight car. He said:

"Ladies and Gentlemen—We are living in a time that develops our patriotism to the utmost extent. We are now engaged in a war with a nation that has cursed this country for the last four hundred years. Then an enterprising nation of great navigation, they took possession of the whole of South America, and a large part of North America, subjugated the natives, and exterminated them. Had they come over to civilize them and teach them the arts, great praise would have been done to them and they would have been revered by the natives and respected by all the world. But they exhibited a rapacity and cruelty of which we can scarcely form any conception. Blood-thirstiness and greed for gold were their chief characteristics. One chief, who was supposed to possess large quantities of gold, was roasted on a hot gridiron, to make him tell where his gold was concealed.

This is only one example out of many of the cruelties they perpetrated in their effort to extract wealth from the natives. They made slaves of the unoffending natives of that delightful clime, put them to hard labor, such as they had never done before, until the poor victims of their cruelties and their rapacity were exterminated and a mongrel race occupied those beautiful lands. Gradually, through their oppression and misrule they have lost all those beautiful countries, until now only poor, oppressed, down-trodden, starved Cuba the gem of the Antilles, remains, which they are trying to hold, but which is fast slipping from their grasp. This government has from motives of humanity determined to drive the cruel Spaniards from the western hemisphere, where they have robbed, plundered and murdered for the last four hundred years. Not a vestige of Spanish misrule shall remain on this western continent, nor on the beautiful isles of the ocean west of the Atlantic.

"Already Admiral Dewey has destroyed their fleet in the Pacific, while Sampson and Schley are ready to pounce upon the fleet they have gathered in western water. Our brave soldiers are preparing to land upon the shore of the desolated island, and drive the last Spaniard into the sea.

"Our people are up in arms. Everywhere the star spangled banner is unfurled to the breeze. All American citizens are assisting by enlisting in the army and navy; or by encouraging those who are ready to lay down their lives for their country. Old Glory, the flag of our union, floats over every public building, over many private houses, and will soon be seen waving over every factory in the land, to show the devotion of our working men to the country and the flag. The star spangled banner, oh, long may it wave, o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave! Three cheers for old glory! Three cheers for Uncle Sam! Three cheers for Dewey and Sampson and

the defender of our flag and our country. Death and destruction to the rapacious and bloodthirsty Spaniards!"

THE PUDDLERS START

At Benwood Mill Next Monday—Will Make Higher Wages.

It is now definitely settled that the Benwood puddling mill will go on next Monday. As previously stated, the resumption was expected at any day, and the men are consequently rejoicing after an idleness since Christmas. Another reason for their feeling good is because, it is said, owing to the increase in the price of steel, the puddlers will get \$4.75 a ton, while they only got \$4 before.

The Wheeling steel works coal bank will start on Friday preparatory to the resumption of the puddling mill. No time has been set for the plate mill, which has been off for about seven weeks.

NEW SHEARS AT THE LA BELLE.

The La Belle will replace the old shears in its tin mills Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 with new shears. These will be put in as soon as possible, and represent a considerable outlay of money, but this progressive company spares no expense to keep its equipment up to the top-notch. Some of the old shears were not practically useless, but were on the downward path.

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FORCED TO PAY UP.

Lawrence Williams, clerk at the St. Charles, swore out warrants yesterday before Squire Rogers for Peter Traynor, the pugilist, and John Brady, for obtaining a room at the hotel and not paying the price thereof. Officer Michaels arrested them. The men settled by paying the costs and were dismissed.

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Cambric Underwear, Silk Gauze and Lisle Underwear, Summer Hosiery in Silk, Lisle and Gauze, Fans, Parasols, Colored Silk Umbrellas, Linen Collars, Belts, Ribbons, Neckwear, etc.

Our Special Sale of Tailor-Made Suits continued this week.

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High Pile Velvet Carpet, the regular \$1 25 kind, choice patterns. We will make, lay and line for

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Kidderminster—this quality of carpet will outwear two ordinary ingrainings; they have always sold for 90c per yard from the roll; we make, lay and line them for

77c Per Yard.

Here's a golden opportunity: 9-Wire, Wool-Filled, Extra Heavy Tapestry Carpet, the regular 90c kind; we make, lay and line for

65c Per Yard.

Extra Super "CC" Wool Carpet, that always sold for 75c per yard; we make, lay and line for

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